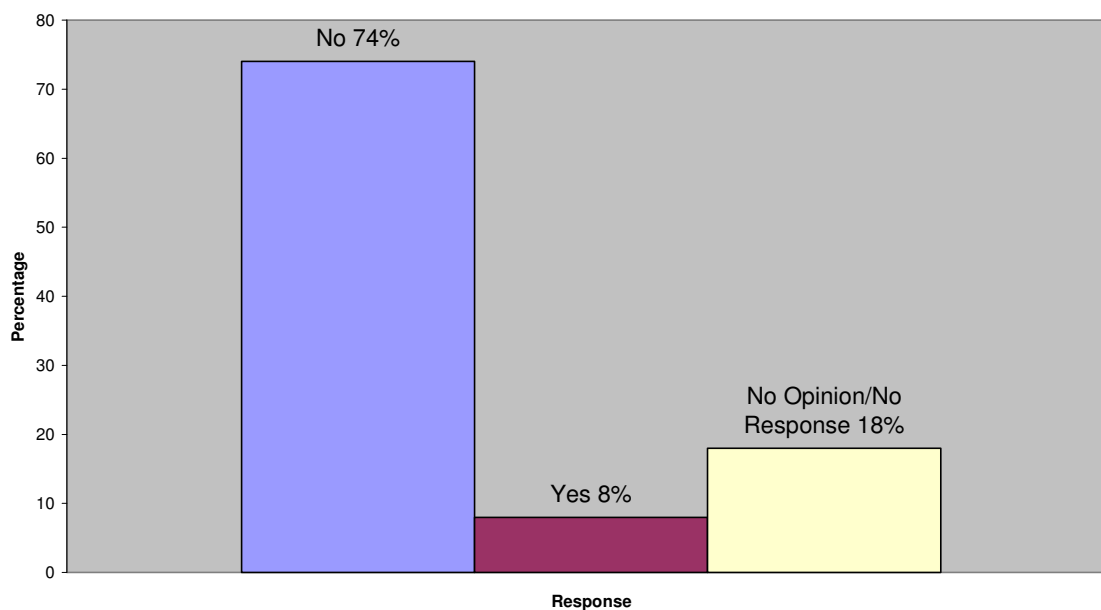


# Congressman Xavier Becerra's Annual Survey on Government Priorities

## Results from 2005

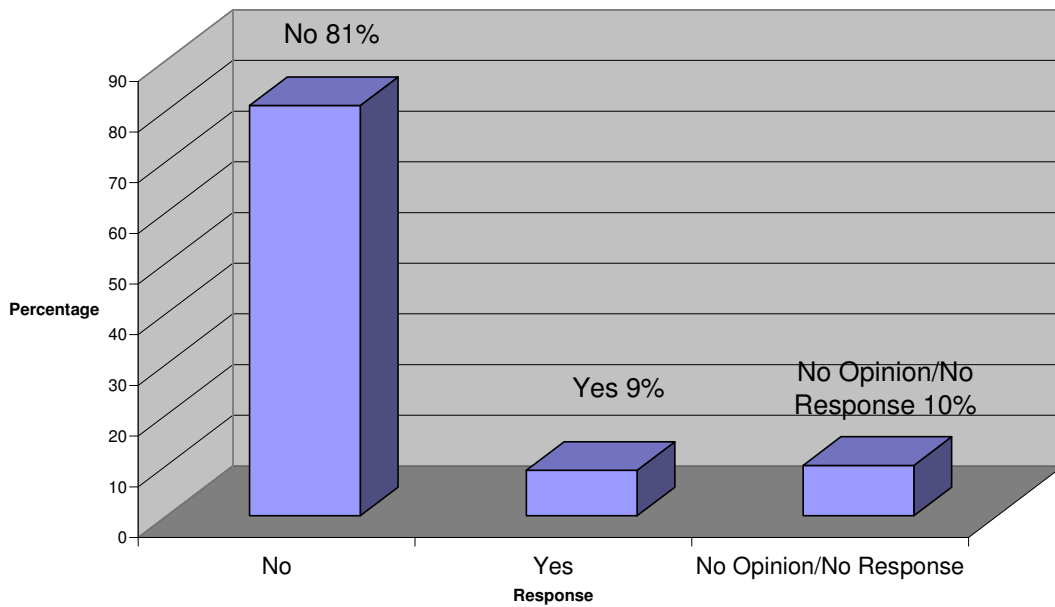
**Do you approve of the way Congress is handling its job?**



Question One: Do you approve of the way Congress is handling its job?

74% No  
8% Yes  
9% No Opinion  
9% No Response

## Do you believe the United States is winning the war on terrorism?



Question Two: Do you believe the United States is winning the war on terrorism?

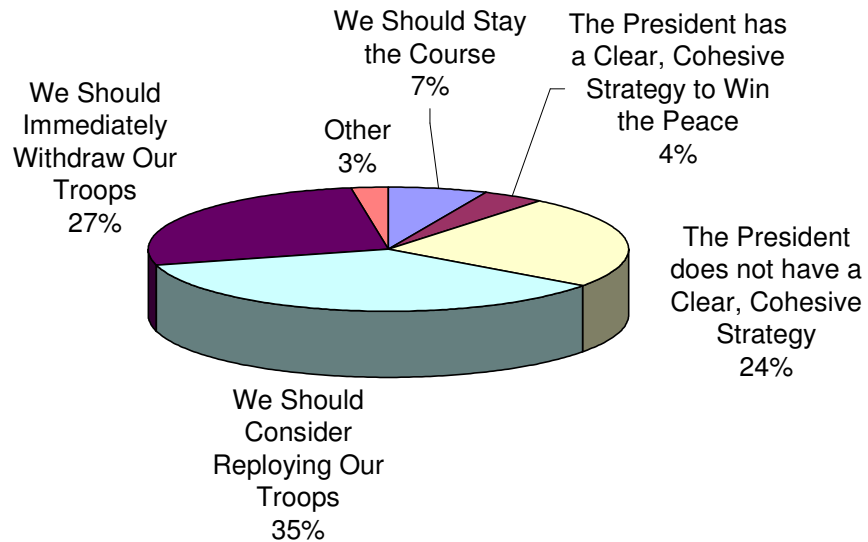
81% No

9% Yes

2% No Opinion

8% No Response

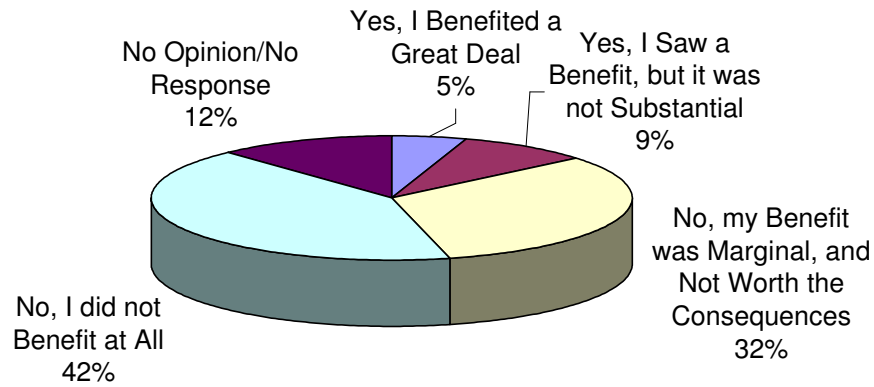
**What phrase or phrases best describe your personal feelings about the war in Iraq?**



Question Three: What phrase or phrases best describe your personal feelings about the war in Iraq?

- 8% We should stay the course.
- 5% The President has a clear, cohesive strategy for winning the peace.
- 29% The President does not have a clear, cohesive strategy.
- 43% We should consider redeploying our troops.
- 32% We should immediately withdraw our troops.
- 3% Other

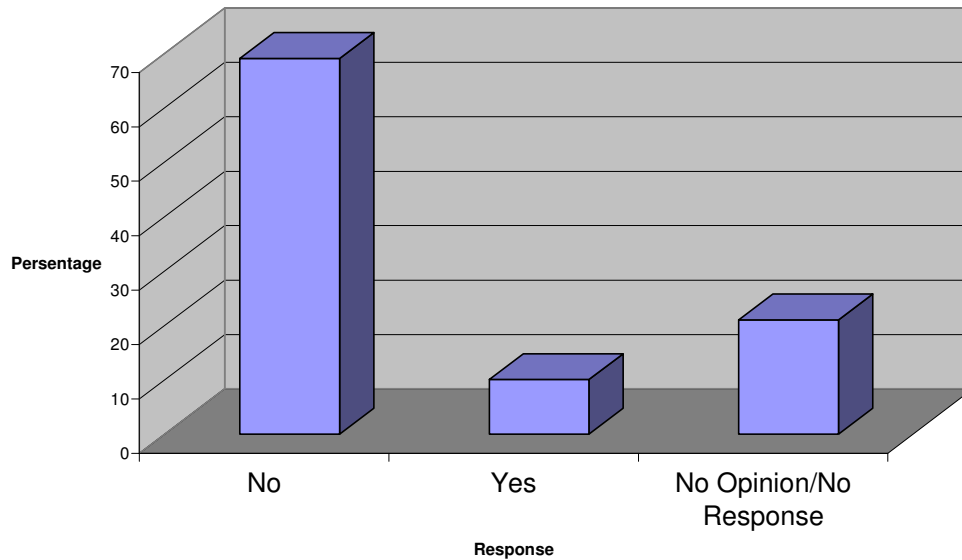
**Do you feel that you have benefited from the president's tax cuts in 2001 or 2003?**



Question Four: Do you feel that you have benefited from the President's tax cuts in 2001 and 2003?

- 5% Yes, I benefited a great deal.
- 9% Yes, I saw a benefit, but it was not substantial.
- 32% No, my benefit was marginal, and not worth the consequence.
- 42% No, I did not benefit.
- 5% No Opinion
- 7% No Response

**Should Congress enact a tax cut, which gives 53% of the financial benefits to 1/5 of 1% of American taxpaying population?**



Question Five: Should Congress enact a tax cut, which gives 53% of the financial benefit to 1/5 of 1% of the American taxpaying population?

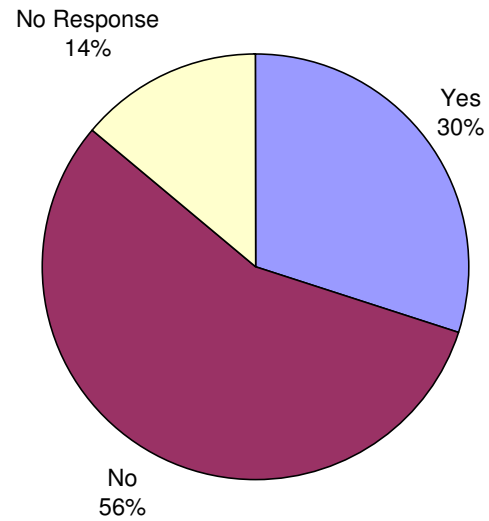
69% No  
10% Yes  
9% No Opinion  
12% No Response

Question Six: Should Congress cut domestic programs to:

A. reduce the deficit?

56% No  
30% Yes  
14% No Response

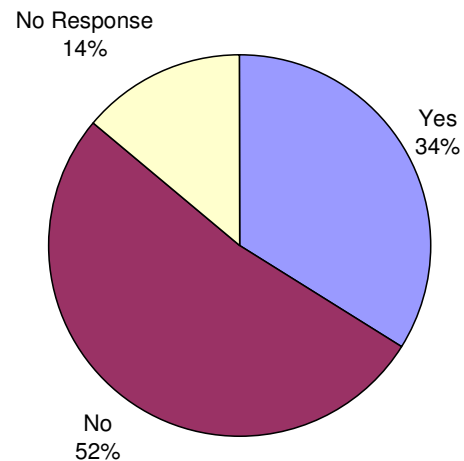
**Should Congress cut domestic programs to reduce the deficit?**



B: pay for Hurricane Katrina relief?

56% No  
30% Yes  
14% No Response

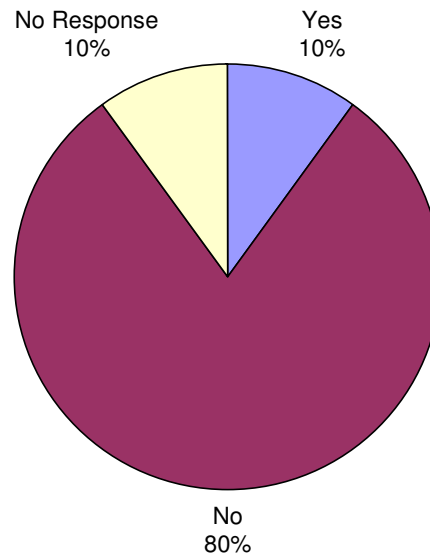
**Should Congress cut domestic programs to pay for Hurricane Katrina relief?**



C. pay for the Iraq War?

80% No  
10% Yes  
10% No Response

**Should Congress cut domestic programs to pay for the Iraq War?**



D. pay for tax cuts that primarily benefit America's wealthiest?

78% No  
8% Yes  
14% No Response

**Should Congress cut domestic programs to pay for tax cut that primarily benefit America's wealthiest?**

